GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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HIGHER RATES FOR WATER NO
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Delhi Development Authority (DDA) is charging higher rates for the water being supplied to the residents of Dwarka;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether filthy and muddy water is being supplied to the residents of this area; and

(d) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a)&(b): The Delhi Development Authority (DDA) has informed that Delhi Jal Board (DJB) provides water at bulk water rates to DDA at Dwarka, to which DDA adds boosting charges, while distributing water to residents within Dwarka.

(c)&(d): DJB has stated that bulk water conforming to prescribed standards, is being supplied to DDA for distribution to the residents of Dwarka. The DDA has also stated that potable water is supplied and in case of any local complaint, the same is rectified.